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OF THE

JOURNEYMEN WEAVERS,

In the ſeveral BRANCHES of the

SILK MANUFACTURE,

CALLED THE

Foot-Figured, Stage-Harneſs, & Mounture Velvet and Shag Branches,

As ſettled and regulated by the

MAGISTRATES,

At their General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace, held for the City of LONDON, the County of MIDDLESEX, and the Liberty of the Tower of LONDON, in *October*, 1784;

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Foot Figured, per Yard.

	£.	s.	d.
FROM 700 to 1000 four double or four single on tabby ſattin or twill ground, made barr'd two cut and two terry, more or leſs, on one roll, to pay —	0	5	0
Sattin ground, not exceeding 800 ten-thread or under, made plain as above —	0	5	0
Single colour, if made barr'd fluſh out of the pole, to be paid for the bar 6*d.* for the ground 5*s.* — —	0	5	6
To allow 8 rolls for a ſingle colour, and to be paid for the figure ——	0	0	6
If a ſecond colour, not exceeding half over, to pay — — ——	0	0	6
If turned the half, to pay ——	0	1	0
If a third colour, not exceeding ½ over, to pay	0	0	6
If turned, half to be paid as three quarters	0	0	9
If turned ¾, to be paid as the whole —	0	1	0
If a cord or bias in any of the above works not made with the poles, to advance	0	1	6
Tiſſue, one ſhoot to a wire, not exceeding one quarter over, to pay ——	0	0	6
If turned a quarter, ditto —, —	0	1	0
If turned half, ditto — —	0	1	6
If turned three quarters, ditto ——	0	2	0
If two ſhoots to a wire to be paid double, changes included			
Turning on, if above four rolls the maſter to pay for the whole, per roll	0	0	2
Tying in the whole of the ground, or in proportion for any part, to pay —	0	5	0
If a ſattin ſtripe, 300 or under, to pay	0	0	6
Plate ſhot in any of the aforeſaid works all over, and to allow a binder, to pay or in proportion for any part	0	5	0
Plate bobbins, if drawn per ſcore, to pay	0	0	8
If worked plain, to pay — —	0	0	6

Stage Harneſs, per Yard.

	£.	s.	d.
Single colour, all over or under on tabby ſattin or twill ground, cut or terry, with or without fluſh, out of the pole, to pay	0	6	0
Double colour, cut or terry, not exceeding half over, to pay — —	0	6	9
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	7	6
Treble colour, cut or terry, not exceeding half over, to pay — —	0	8	3
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	9	0
Fourth colour, cut or terry, not exceeding half over, to pay — —	0	10	6
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	12	0
If cut and terry all over or under, ſingle colour, to pay — ——	0	7	6
Double colour, not exceeding half over, to pay — — ——	0	8	3
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	9	0
Plate all over, and to allow a binder, to pay or in proportion for any part	0	5	0
Plate bobbins, if drawn per ſcore, to pay	0	0	8
If worked plain, to pay — —	0	0	6
Tying in the whole ground, to pay — or in proportion for any part	0	5	0
Turning on to be paid for per roll —	0	0	2

Mounture Velvets, Whole Pole, per Yard.

	£.	s.	d.
Single colour, all over or under, with whole poles, cut or terry, with or without flush out of the poles, to pay ——	0	6	0
Double colour, whole poles, cut or terry, with or without flush out of the poles, not exceeding half over, to pay —	0	6	9
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	7	6
Treble colour, whole poles, cut or terry, with or without flush out of the poles, not exceeding half over, to pay —	0	8	3
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	9	0
Four colours, whole poles, cut or terry, with or without flush out of the poles, not exceeding half over, to pay —	0	10	6
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	12	0
Plate shot all over, and to allow a binder	0	5	0
Or in proportion for any part; but if a great harness on purpose to draw for the plate, to advance — —	0	1	6
Tissue shoot, changes included, one shoot to a wire, to pay — —	0	2	0
Plate bobbins, if drawn per score, to pay	0	0	10
If worked plain, ditto — —	0	0	6
Tying in the ground, ditto —— or in proportion for any part	0	5	0
Winding the poles, per colour, ditto —	0	5	0

Mounture Velvets, Split Pole, per Yard.

	£.	s.	d.
Single colour, all over or under, with ſplit poles, cut or terry, with or without fluſh out of the poles, to pay ——	0	6	6
Split poles, double colour, cut or terry, with or without fluſh out of the poles, not exceeding half over, to pay —	0	7	6
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	8	6
Split poles, treble colour, cut or terry, with or without fluſh out of the poles, not exceeding half over, to pay —	0	9	6
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	10	6
Split poles, four colours, cut or terry, with or without fluſh out of the poles, not exceeding half over, to pay —	0	13	6
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	16	6
Plate all over, and to allow a binder, to pay	0	5	0
Or in proportion for any part; but if a great harneſs on purpoſe to draw for the plate, to advance — —	0	1	6
Tiſſue ſhoot, one ſhoot to a wire, changes included, ditto — ——	0	2	0
If two ſhoots to a wire, to be paid double			
Plate bobbins, if drawn per ſcore, to pay	0	0	10
If worked plain, ditto — —	0	0	6
Winding the poles, per colour, ditto —	0	5	0
Tying in the whole ground, to pay —	0	5	0
Or in proportion for any part			

Note, *All the before-mentioned Works to be allowed only 37 Inches to a Yard.*

Shags, per Yard.

	£.	s.	d.
Five hundred two-thread grounds, or under, to pay — — ——	0	2	3
From 500 to 600 ditto — —	0	2	6
From 600 to 700 ditto — —	0	2	9
From 700 to 1000, ſtocking or tabby ground, with whole pole on one roll, ditto — — —	0	3	0
All the above works, if above 1025 reeds, to be paid as half 100 — —	0	0	1½
And if turned, the half hundred to be paid as the whole — —	0	0	3
If turned 1100, to be paid as the half hundred — — —	0	0	2
If turned the half hundred, to be paid as the whole — — —	0	0	4
If a ſingle colour made with a ſplit pole, to pay — — —	0	0	6
All over tiſſue, one ſhoot to a wire, ditto	0	1	6
And to be paid for changes, per ſhuttle	0	0	1
All plain tiſſue bars, to pay ——	0	0	6
And changes to be paid for, per ſhuttle	0	0	1
If a plate ſhuttle, not exceeding ſix ſhoots to the inch, to pay — —	0	0	6
If it exceeds ſix ſhoots to the inch, per ſhoot, ditto — ——	0	0	1
Plate bobbins, if drawn, per ſcore ditto	0	0	8
If worked plain, ditto — —	0	0	6
To allow eight ground lambs, but if turned into a figure, to advance as far as twelve lambs or under, ditto ——	0	0	3
If made with a figure, not to exceed twelve pole rolls or under, ditto ——	0	3	6
Double colour, not exceeding half over twelve rolls, or under, ditto —	0	0	6
Double colour all over, not exceeding twelve poles in the whole, ditto —	0	4	6

Shags, per Yard.

	£.	s.	d.
Treble colour, not exceeding half over, ditto — — —	0	0	6
If turned the half, to be paid as 3 quarters	0	0	9
Treble colour all over, not exceeding fifteen poles in the whole ——	0	5	6
Double colour all over, on two rolls only and two treadles, ditto ——	0	3	6
All above two rolls to be deemed a figure, and to pay — — —	0	0	6
Double colour, half over or under, not exceeding three rolls and two treadles, ditto — — ——	0	3	6
Figured ground, not exceeding ten lambs, ditto — — ——	0	0	6
From ten to fifteen ground lambs, ditto	0	0	8
From fifteen to twenty ground lambs, ditto	0	0	10
Stripes of ſattin, byaſs, or cord, entered apart from the pole, to be paid for	0	0	6
If ſattin, cord, byaſs, or chain, or either two of them be worked in bars, to be paid extra — — —	0	0	2
Four hundred double cord, or under, to pay	0	0	9
If turned the four hundred, to be paid as the half hundred — —	0	0	$0\frac{3}{4}$
If turned the half hundred, to be paid as the whole one hundred — —	0	0	$1\frac{1}{2}$
If any of the above works are ſhot with ſilk inſtead of yarn or cotton, to make the velvet part of the work, to advance	0	0	3
Five rolls to be paid by the men for turning on, if above five rolls the maſter to pay for the whole, per roll —	0	0	2
Yarn to be paid per skain winding —	0	0	1
Tying in the whole ground, to pay — or in proportion for any part	0	1	6

Shags, per Yard.

	£.	s.	d.
Single figured tobine all over, on any of the aforeſaid works, not exceeding ten figured lambs or treadles, and worked in a bar between the velvet bars, to pay	0	1	0
But if worked with the velvet, and all over, to pay — — —	0	1	6
Changes on the ground for every extra ſhuttle, ditto — —	0	0	1
That all the aforeſaid works be underſtood as two-thread ground, and not to exceed 21 inches in the fine.			
N. B. That all the ſaid works be deemed as foot figures.			
If any of the aforeſaid works exceed the before-mentioned number of rolls, to be deemed as a ſtage harneſs, and to be paid for as a ſingle colour —	0	1	0
For the ſecond colour half over, ditto	0	0	9
If turned, the half to be paid as the whole	0	1	6
If a third colour, not exceeding half over, ditto — — —	0	0	9
If turned half to be paid as three quarters	0	1	1½
If turned three quarters to be paid as the whole — — —	0	1	6
Clouded pole all over or under, to pay	0	0	6
And that all the before-mentioned works be allowed no more than 37 inches to the yard.			

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